CAN'T RIDE A BICYCLE!

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Bi-cycle club
I'M ESTABLISH-ING A NEW RULE FOR THE BICYCLE CLUB.
HUH?
SINCE I'VE NOW BECOME PRESIDENT, I ASSUME YOU'LL LET ME MAKE THE DECISIONS A PRESIDENT HAS TO MAKE.

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FIRST, I FORBID ANY RECKLESS TRAINING THAT ENDANGERS YOUR LIVES.
WAIT A MOMENT.
WOULDN'T THAT RULE CONSTITUTE A FUNDAMENTAL DENIAL OF THE BICYCLE CLUB AS IT EXISTS NOW?
YOU HAVE TO RETHINK THE CLUB FROM THE FOUNDATION UP.
DON'T SCREW WITH ME!
HOW WE GONNA RUN A PROPER CLUB WITH A RULE LIKE THAT?!
THIS CLUB WAS NEVER A PROPER ONE TO BEGIN WITH!
PLEASE, DON'T FIGHT!
OGAWA-KUN IS THE PRESIDENT!
PLEASE LISTEN TO WHAT HE HAS TO SAY!

THE SECOND RULE IS THAT TANISHIGE-SEMPAI IS NOT TO COME NEAR ME UNLESS IT'S NECESSARY FOR THE CLUB.
THAT'S ALL.
I DON'T MIND THAT RULE, SO DO WHAT-EVER YOU WANT.
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NO !!
OGA-WA-KUN, WHY?!
Ahh, you're creeping me out!
Stop it, stay away !!
YOU SHOULD LISTEN TO WHAT HE'S SAYING.
BUT I CAN'T ACCEPT THE FIRST RULE.
YOU DON'T SEEM TO UNDER-STAND BIKING AT ALL.

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DO YOU UNDERSTAND WHAT THIS WORD COMBINATION MEANS?
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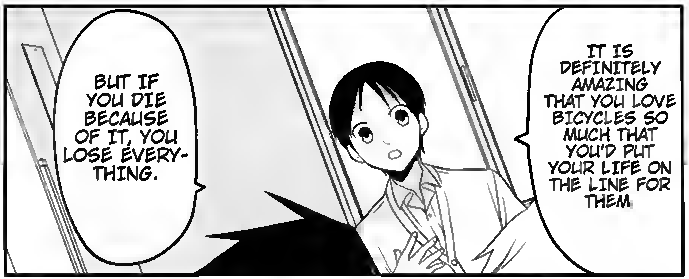
YOU SPELLED IT WRONG...
ALL RIGHT, LOOK AT HOW THE WORD BICYCLE IS WRITTEN.
I THINK IT JUST MEANS "A VEHICLE WITH TWO WHEELS," ACTUALLY.
IT MEANS ANYTHING YOU CAN DO WITH A WHEEL, LIKE ROLLING, TUMBLING, ETC...
OH. THIS IS ALL PRETTY FUNNY.
YOU HEAR SOMETHIN' FUNNY?
Pfhh
Hee hee hee
HAH

PRESIDENT OGAWA IS RIGHT.
HARA-SEMPAI...
IT'S TRUE THAT WE MUST CONDUCT OUR CLUB ACTIVITIES WITH THE LEAST LOSS OF LIFE POSSIBLE.
THAT'S NORMAL FOR ALL HUMAN ACTIVITIES.
BUT PLEASE, DON'T FORGET...
...THAT I STARTED TO LEARN TO RIDE BECAUSE MY BODY IS WEAK.
NO MATTER HOW CAREFUL I AM...
...IF I FALL MORE THAN FIVE TIMES, MY LIFE IS IN DANGER.
ISN'T THAT THE ULTIMATE PARADOX? AREN'T YOU TEMPTING DEATH?

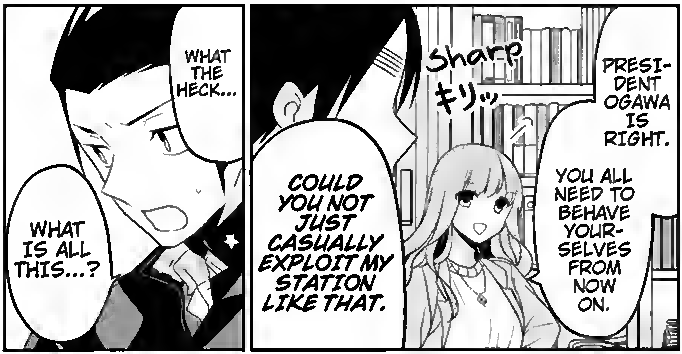
SEE, THAT'S WHAT I MEAN BY RECK-LESS!
WE JUST KEEP FINDING OURSELVES CLOSE TO DEATH.
IT'S TRUE, BEING RECKLESS REALLY HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH IT.


BUT IF YOU DIE BECAUSE OF IT, YOU LOSE EVERY-THING.
IT IS DEFINITELY AMAZING THAT YOU LOVE BICYCLES SO MUCH THAT YOU'D PUT YOUR LIFE ON THE LINE FOR THEM.

COULD YOU NOT BREAK THE FOURTH WALL LIKE THAT, EITHER ?!
What to do
IF WE DO THAT, THERE'S NO WAY THIS MANGA WILL KEEP GOING.

FROM NOW ON, THOSE CRAZY CHAL-LENGES ARE DONE WITH.
I THINK WE SHOULD BE CONCENTRAT-ING ON BORING BUT PRACTICAL CHALLENGES TO GET THERE STEP BY STEP.

ALL RIGHT?
I'M...
...THE PRESIDENT OF THE BICYCLE CLUB.
I REFUSE TO ACKNOWLEDGE ANY OBJECTIONS.


PRESIDENT OGAWA IS RIGHT.
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YOU ALL NEED TO BEHAVE YOURSELVES FROM NOW ON.
COULD YOU NOT JUST CASUALLY EXPLOIT MY STATION LIKE THAT.
WHAT THE HECK...
WHAT IS ALL THIS...?

YOU CAN ACT ALL HIGH AND MIGHTY JUST COS YOU'RE THE PRESIDENT NOW?!
Former President
YOU GUYS WERE THE ONES WHO DECIDED THIS, THOUGH.

I'LL CONTINUE TO SUPPORT YOU FOREVER AS THE MANAGER, PRESI-DENT...
NO THANK YOU.
THE PRESI-DENT'S POSITION WAS COM-PLETELY DESTROYED.

NEXT TIME, GET NOMURA!